

Application No. 10/798,459Client Reference No. N0184US**REMARKS****I. Status**

Claims 22, 34-35, 48, and 51 have been amended. No new matter has been added as a result. Claims 1-21 and 42 have been previously canceled. Accordingly, claims 22-41 and 43-52 are currently pending.

II. Rejections Under 35 U.S.C. § 103

Claims 22-24, 28, 30-32, 34-35, 41, 45-47, 49, and 51 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. (U.S. 6,401,033)¹ in view of Trovato (U.S. 6,183,364). Claims 25, 27, 33, 36, 38-40, and 43 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato and in further view of Koller, et al. ("Virtual GIS," IEEE: 1995). Claims 26 and 37 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato, Koller, et al., and in further view of Freedman ("Map Quests," Wired: 2/2004). Claims 29 and 44 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato and in further view of Freedman. Claim 48 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato and in further view of Yang, et al. (US 2002/0198694). Claim 50 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato and in further view of Halt, et al. (U.S. 6,343,301).² Claim 52 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being

¹ U.S. Pat. No. 6,401,033 is assigned to the assignee of the present application. To the extent permissible by law, any remarks in this response about the '033 patent should not be construed as limiting or narrowing the scope of the claims thereof.

² U.S. Pat. No. 6,343,301 is assigned to the assignee of the present application. To the extent permissible by law, any remarks in this response about the '301 patent should not be construed as limiting or narrowing the scope of the claims thereof.

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unpatentable over Paulauskas, et al. in view of Trovato and in further view of Streets of SimCity (Wikipedia reference).

Claims 22, 34-35, 48, and 51 and Dependents

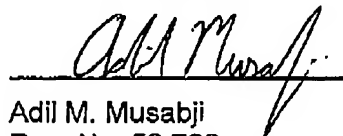
In light of the Advisory Action, Applicants still believe that the arguments made in the response to the Final Office Action (Response I) are valid. However, the independent claims have been amended for further clarification and to further prosecution. All of the features of the independent claims are not taught or suggested by the respective combined references. Also, some of the dependent claims include features that are independently allowable.

Accordingly, independent claims 22, 34-35, 48, and 51 as well as the respective dependent claims are allowable.

III. Summary

It is respectfully asserted that all of the pending claims are patentable over the cited references, and allowance of the pending claims is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that a telephone interview would be helpful in resolving any outstanding issues, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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